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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)
M1909.0152/P152

In re Application of Fuminori Takizawa

Application Number
09/889,653Filed
July 19, 2001For: INK JET RECORDING HEAD DRIVING METHOD AND CIRCUIT
THEREFOR

Group Art Unit 2853

Examiner L. Nguyen

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$	930.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$	

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2215.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☐ attorney or agent of record.

☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 42,236

March 28, 2003
Date

Signature

Ian R. Blum

Typed or Printed Name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below



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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Address to: Commissioner for Patents Box RCE Washington, DC 20231	<i>Application Number</i>	09/889,653-Conf. #8648
	<i>Filing Date</i>	July 19, 2001
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Fuminori Takizawa
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	2853
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	L. Nguyen
	<i>Attorney Docket No.</i>	M1909.0152/P152

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114	
a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted
i.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on <u>January 3, 2003</u> (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
ii.	<input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
iii.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
b.	<input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed
i.	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply
ii.	<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
iii.	<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
iv.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
2. Miscellaneous	
a.	<input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
b.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.	
a.	<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, Deposit Account No. _____
i.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee (\$750.00) required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
ii.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
iii.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
b.	<input type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed
c.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED			
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<i>Signature</i>		<i>Date</i>	March 28, 2003

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